

00377

1962/09/17

29. Carter to McCone, Cable, 17 September 1962 (Excerpt)

ORIG: E. H. KNOCHE UNIT: O/DCI EXT: 7805 DATE: 17 SEPT 1962		TS 056 CLASSIFIED MESSAGE TOP SECRET		O.C. En. @ Mr. Berkman PAGE ONE OF FIVE PAGES	
		ROUTING 1 2 3		4 5 6	
TO: [REDACTED] FROM: DIRECTOR CONF: DCI 1-2 INFO: S/C 3-4		17 SEP 62 22 33z SIG GEN DEFERRED ROUTINE PRIORITY		OUT 77481 CITE DIR 36649	
TO: PRITY [REDACTED] EYES ONLY [REDACTED] FROM [REDACTED]		McCONE CARTER			

1. SOVIET PASSENGER SHIPS HAVE MADE NINE UNPUBLICIZED TRIPS TO CUBA SINCE LATE JULY; TWO MORE BELIEVED EN ROUTE NOW. THE TWO WILL BRING ESTIMATED TOTAL MILITARY TECHNICIANS ARRIVING SINCE MID-JULY TO ABOUT FORTY-TWO HUNDRED.

UNDER AGREEMENT NEGOTIATED RECENTLY BY BRITISH GUIANA TRADE MINISTER ON VISIT TO HAVANA, BRITISH GUIANA WILL SEND UP TO ONE THOUSAND EXPERIENCED CANE CUTTERS TO HELP WITH NEXT YEARS HARVEST.

2. CHICOMS HAVE ASKED FOR EMERGENCY MEETING OF WANG AND CABOT IN WARSAW. DATE SET IS 21 SEPT. NO HINT OF SUBJECT, BUT WE SUSPECT IT WILL BE CHICOM CHARGE OF "AGGRESSIVE INTENT" IN WAKE OF U-2 INCIDENT. CHICOM PRESS BENDING EVERY EFFORT TO TAG US WITH RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE U-2 OPERATIONS OVER MAINLAND, AND WE ARE ALSO GETTING COMPLAINTS FROM PEIPING ABOUT US

RELEASING OFFICER COORDINATING OFFICERS TOP SECRET	GROUP 1 Excluded from automatic downgrading and declassification	AUTHENTICATING OFFICER Copy No.
---	---	------------------------------------

REPRODUCTION BY OTHER THAN THE ISSUING OFFICE IS PROHIBITED.